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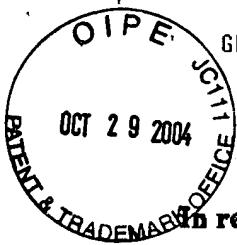
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In re Application of:
Marcel Boucher, et al.

Serial No.: 10/711,589

Filed: September 27, 2004

For: Apparatus for Weight on Bit
Measurements, and Methods of
Using Same

Art Unit No.: 3672

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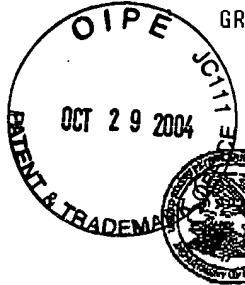
1. Transmittal Letter
2. USPTO Form, Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b)
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